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In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 16-18 without prejudice.

Please amend the claims as follows:

15. (amended) A method of inhibiting the expression of phosphatidylinositol-4-phosphate 5-kinase, α in cells or tissues comprising contacting said cells or tissues in vitro with the compound of claim 1 so that expression of phosphatidylinositol-4-phosphate 5-kinase, α is inhibited.

REMARKS

Claims 1, 2 and 4-20 are pending in the instant application. Claims 1, 2 and 4-20 have been rejected. Claims 16-18 have been canceled. Claim 15 has been amended. No new matter has been added by these amendments. Reconsideration is respectfully requested in light of these amendments and the following remarks.

I. Rejection of Claims Under 35 U.S.C. 112, First Paragraph

Claims 15-18 have been rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, first paragraph, as containing subject matter which was not described in the specification in such a way as to enable one skilled in